

# Yoncalla language

**Yoncalla** (also **Southern Kalapuya** or **Yonkalla**) is a Kalapuyan language once spoken in southwest Oregon in the United States.<sup>[2]</sup> In the 19th century it was spoken by the Yoncalla band of the Kalapuya people in the Umpqua River valley. It is closely related to Central Kalapuya and Northern Kalapuya, spoken in the Willamette Valley to the north.

The last-known user of the language was Laura Blackery Albertson, who attested to being a partial speaker in 1937.<sup>[3]</sup>

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Yoncalla	
Southern Kalapuya	
Native to	United States
Region	Northwest Oregon
Extinct	1930s
Language family	Kalapuyan <div>▪<span> </span>Yoncalla</div>
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	sxk
Linguist List	sxk ( <a href="http://multitree.org/codes/sxk">http://multitree.org/codes/sxk</a> )
Glottolog	yonc1234 ( <a href="http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/yonc1234">http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/yonc1234</a> ) <sup>[1]</sup>

## External links

- OLAC resources in and about the Southern Kalapuya language (<http://olac.ldc.upenn.edu/language/sxk>)

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